

## **Legal Notice Certificate of Need**

### **Public Hearing**

The Maine Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) announces that an application for a Certificate of Need (CON) has been received and certified as complete by the applicant. DHHS, CONU, has scheduled a public hearing on MaineHealth's proposal for the acquisition of control of Goodall Hospital. The record in this matter is scheduled to close on May 6, 2012. However, DHHS has determined that circumstances are appropriate to keep the record in this matter open pursuant to 22 M.R.S. sec. 335(6) for a limited amount of time. Pursuant to 22 M.R.S. sec. 329(2)(A), a public hearing will be held on the project May 21, 2012 at 9:30 am. The record in this matter will remain open for public comment and additional information from the applicant until June 5, 2012.

Sponsor:	MaineHealth
Description of Proposal:	Acquisition of Control of Goodall Hospital
Meeting:	Public Hearing
Date/Time:	Monday, May 21, 2012 at 9:30 am
Location:	Nasson Community Center 457 Main Street Springvale, ME 04083

The purpose of this hearing is to allow the Applicant, other directly affected persons and the public to have an opportunity to present information, documentary evidence, arguments, and comments questioning the documentation presented or raise issues and/or concerns to be considered by the Department on this proposal.

Upon written request, any person may examine the application, submit comments in writing to the Department at the address indicated below, regarding the application, and examine the entire record assembled by the Department at any time from the date of publication of the notice until the application process is closed for comment.

At the close of the public hearing, additional written comments may be submitted to the DHHS, Licensing and Regulatory Services, Certificate of Need Unit, Station House Station # 11, 41 Anthony Avenue, Augusta, Maine 04333-0011; no later than 5:00 p.m. June 5, 2012. (TEL: (207) 287-9300, TDD (800) 606-0215, FAX (207) 287-5807.)